

FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT ON BILL NO. **H. 3163**

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TO:	The Honorable Joe E. Brown, Chairman, House Medical, Military, Public and Municipal Affairs Committee		
FROM:	Office of State Budget, Budget and Control Board		
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SUBJECT:	Postmortem Examinations		

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT ON GENERAL FUND EXPENDITURES:

\$0 (No additional expenditures or savings are expected)

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT ON FEDERAL & OTHER FUND EXPENDITURES:

\$0 (No additional expenditures or savings are expected)

BILL SUMMARY:

This Bill requires surgeons to conduct postmortem examinations on a patient who dies during a surgical procedure, and to file a report with the county coroner within seventy-two hours of a patient's death.

EXPLANATION OF IMPACT:

The Department of Labor, Licensing, and Regulation indicate this Bill will have no impact on the General Fund of the State, or on Federal and/or Other Funds.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT IMPACT:

None.

SPECIAL NOTES:

None.

Approved by:



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